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line 13, replace the line to read: 7-methods for
            preparing a carbon-doped-
   Line 14, after "crystal" replace "in which carbon" by
   line 15, replace the line to read: --as set forth
            the following described publications
   line 16, before "Japanese" delete "In";
   line 17, after "hereinafter)" replace "," by
            --discloses--
   line 19, after "method)" replace "is" by -
   line 20, please cancel the entire line;
   delete the paragraph spacing between lines 20 and 21;
   line 21, delete the indentation;
   delete the paragraph spacing between lines 23 and 24;
   line 24, delete the indentation,
2, line 10, after "in" insert -- the formation of --,
            after "like" replace "to be" by --which
   delete the paragraph spacing between lines 11 and 12;
   line 12, delete the indentation;
   line 17, before "Journal" replace "In" by --The
   line 19, after "hereinafter) " replace "," by
            --discloses--:
   line 21, fafter "method)" delete "is disclosed"
   delete the paragraph spacing between lines 21 and 22;
   Fine 22, delete the indentation;
   delete the paragraph spacing between lines 24 and 25;
   line 25, delete the indentation, after "62" replace
            "having" by --which has--.
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      3, line 1, after "doped" insert --therein--, after
                 advance, insert -- and which was--, after
                  "method" insert --,--;
         line 8, after "containing" insert - 200ppm of --,
                  after "water" delete "of 200ppm";
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 15 and 16;
         line 16, delete the indentation;
         line 19, before "U.S." delete "In
         line 20, after "hereinafter)" replace "/ by --dis-
                  closes--, after "preparing" insert --a-
         line 22, after "method)" delete "is disclored";
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 22 and 23;
         line 23, delete the indentation;
         line 24, after "preparing" insert --a-
        delete the paragraph spacing between lines 8 and 9;
         line 9, delete the indentation;
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 14 and 15;
         line 15, delete the indentation;
         line 22, after "preparing" replace "thereof" by --the
                  same--;
         line 23, after "contained" replace "having" by
                  --in--.
     5, line 1, after "concentration" delete "of";
         line 3, after "art" insert --methods--;
         line 10, after "since" insert --a--;
         line 13, after "oxygen," replace "that" by --which--;
         line 15, after "gas." replace "There was" by --As a
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result, there is--.

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Page 6, line 7, after "preparing" replace "in" by
                  --, with--;
               8, after "reproducibility" insert --,--, after
                  "a" insert --carbon-doped--;
               9, before "favorable" replace "of" by
         line
                  --having--, after "characteristics" insert
                  --and--;
         line 10, after "removed" insert --therefrom--, before
                  "in" delete "and";
         line 12, before "aspect" replace "According to an" by
                  --One--, after "invention" replace "," by
                  --provides--;
         line 14, after "crystal" delete "is provided";
         line 15, after "doped" insert --therein--;
         line 21, after "compound" insert --raw--;
         line 22, after "compound" insert --raw--.
Page 7, line 7, after "the" insert --initial--;
         line 8, after "doped" insert --into the material--;
         line 11, after "obtained" replace "in" by --with--;
         line 18, after "Preferably," insert --the--;
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 18 and 19;
         line 19, delete the indentation;
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 22 and 23;
         line 22, after "crystal." insert --The--;
         line 23, delete the indentation, before "oxide"
                  replace "Boron" by --boron--, after
                  "contains" delete "water of";
         line 24, after "ppm" replace "." by --of water.--.
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      8, line 1, after "filled" insert --into the crucible--;
         line 2, after "carbon" insert --to be--;
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 2 and 3;
               3, delete the indentation;
         line 5, after "Furthermore," insert -- an additional
                  amount of carbon must be supplied to make up
                  for the--, after "of" (first occurrence)
                  delete "the";
         line
               6, after "carbon" (first occurrence) replace
                  "at the" by --in--, after "compound" insert
                  --.-;
         line 7, before "Thus," delete "must be supplied.--;
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 10 and 11;
         line 11, delete the indentation;
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 17 and 18;
         line 18, delete the indentation; after "process,"
                  replace "the" by --any--, after "in" insert
                  --the--;
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 19 and 20;
         line 20, delete the indentation, after "applying"
                  replace "a" by --the--, after "treatment"
                  replace "on" by --to the --.
Page 9, line 2, before "change" insert --further--;
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 10 and 11;
         line 11, delete the indentation;
         line 18, after "those" insert --samples--.
Page 10, line 8, after "little" insert --further--;
         delete the paragraph spacing between lines 14 and 15;
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line 15, delete the indentation;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 24 and 25; line 25, delete the indentation.

Page 11, line 4, after "oxide" insert --which is--;
line 5, after "state" replace "where" by --in
which--;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 7 and 8;
line 8, delete the indentation;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 17 and 18; line 18, delete the indentation;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 20 and 21; line 21, delete the indentation; after "in" insert

line 24, after "above" insert --the--, after "oxide" replace "to" by --and thereby--.

Page 12, line 1, before "solid" insert --the--;

--the--;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 2 and 3;
line 3, delete the indentation;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 12 and 13; line 13, delete the indentation;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 18 and 19; line 19, delete the indentation;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 23 and 24; line 24, delete the indentation; after "constituent" replace "element" by --elements--.

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Page 13, line 1, after "crucible" replace "to induce" by --and induces--.
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Page 14, line 3, before "single" delete "crystal";

line 7, before "single" delete "crystal";

line 11, before "single" delete "crystal";

line 13, before "DESCRIPTION" insert --DETAILED--;

## delete the paragraph spacing between lines 17 and 18;

line 18, delete the indentation;

line 19, after "powder 13" insert --which has been--;

line 22, after "crystal" insert --7--;

line 23, after "crucible 1," replace "arrangement was provided so" by --the materials were so arranged--.

Page 15, line 13, after "heater "8" replace "using" by --in--;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 13 and 14;

line 14, delete the indentation;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 16 and 17;

line 17, delete the indentation.

Page 16, line 3, after "melt 2" delete ".";

line 4, before "boron" replace "The thickness of

the" by --as a--, after "4b" delete

"covering the";

line 6, after "4b" replace "." by --, as shown also in Fig. 1.--;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 8 and 9;

line 9, delete the indentation;

line 12, after "crystal" replace "is" by --are--; following Table 2, line 2, after "crystal" replace "corresponds" by --correspond--.

Page 17, delete the paragraph spacing between lines 4 and 5;
line 5, delete the indentation;
delete the paragraph spacing between lines 19 and 20;

line 20, delete the indentation;

- Page 18, delete the paragraph spacing between lines 4 and 5; line 5, delete the indentation;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 7 and 8;

line 8, delete the indentation;

line 14, after "heater 8" replace "using" by --in--; delete the paragraph spacing between lines 15 and 16; line 16, delete the indentation.

delete the paragraph spacing between line 18 of page 18 and line 1 of page 19;

Page 19, line 1, delete the indentation;
line 4, after "melt" replace ". This" by --2 as a--;

- line 6, before "approximately" replace "melt 2 was"
  by --having a thickness of--;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 12 and 13; line 13, delete the indentation.

Page 20, delete the paragraph spacing between lines 5 and 6; line 6, delete the indentation, after "experiment" replace "are" by --were--;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 8 and 9; line 9, delete the indentation.

Page 21, delete the paragraph spacing between lines 3 and 4; line 4, delete the indentation, after "conditions" replace "are" by --were--;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 6 and 7; line 7, delete the indentation.

- Page 22, delete the paragraph spacing between lines 1 and 2; line 2, delete the indentation;
  - line 5, after "oxide 4" insert --that will form a
     boron oxide layer 4b and a boron oxide film
    4a as described below--;
  - line 8, before "so" replace "arrangement was
     provided" by --the materials were
     arranged--;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 14 and 15; line 15, delete the indentation, after "of" replace "example 4" by --example 5--.

Page 23, line 4, after "heater 8" replace "using" by --in a--;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 5 and 6;

line 6, delete the indentation;

delete the paragraph spacing between lines 8 and 9;

line 9, delete the indentation;

- line 14, before "approximately" replace "GaAs melt 2
   was" by --having a thickness of--;
- line 18, after "was" replace "kept" by --maintained--.
- Page 24, delete the paragraph spacing between lines 1 and 2; line 2, delete the indentation.
- Page 25, line 8, after "upon" replace "difference" by --differences--.

## In the Claims:

(amended) A method of preparing a <u>carbon-doped</u> group III-V compound semiconductor crystal [having carbon doped], comprising the steps of:

[filling a crucible or a boat with] placing a compound raw material, solid carbon, and a boron oxide[,] substance into a crucible or a boat,

sealing said crucible or boat containing [filled with] said compound raw material, said solid carbon, and said boron oxide

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